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BOROUGH WILL BE THOROUGHLY CANVASSED FOR THE RED CROSS

Enrollment Committee Proposes to Obtain 3,000 Members

BRANCHES MAY BE FORMED

Committee Will Visit Nearby Towns And Townships to Interest Them in Movement—Community to be Represented on Fighting Line.

Charleroi will be canvassed in the interests of the American Red Cross society as it never has been canvassed before for any purpose. The aim is to obtain here at least 3,000 members. This was the decision of the enrollment committee at a meeting held Wednesday evening in the First Christian church. The town will be divided into districts, with chairmen for each district, and every family will be solicited for memberships. Those refusing at the first appeal to take membership will be listed and a round-up committee of which George W. Might has been named chairman will learn reasons.

All churches and lodges have promised to lend their aid at the coming week, which will be observed nationally as Red Cross week.

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* JOINING RED CROSS DOES *
* NOT MEAN FIELD SERVICE *
* Becoming a member of the *
* American Red Cross society does *
* not mean that field service is *
* necessary, contrary to an opinion *
* held by many. With the Red Cross *
* everything is voluntary. If act- *
* ive service can be given all well *
* and good, but it is not required *
* when one joins. This explanation *
* is made at the behest of the com- *
* mittee which is in charge of the *
* Charleroi work. *

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"It is not too much to expect $1 or $2 from each family," said one of the committeemen this morning. "In some way practically every family will be represented on the fighting line and Charleroi soldiers will be sent at the first call. What we give for the Red Cross will be for them."

All the surrounding towns and townships will be asked to join in the local movement by the formation of branches or auxiliaries. A committee consisting of James T. Heffran of Speers, Walter Byerly and R. H. Rush will take up this matter.

THREE ENLISTMENTS FROM THIS VALLEY AT PITTSBURG STATIONS

There were three enlistments from this part of the Monongahela valley Wednesday at Pittsburg recruiting stations. Those who enlisted were:

Army—George C. Calvin, Monongahela; Henry L. Spence, Lock No. 4; Robert W. Jack, Charleroi.

COUNTY KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS TO MEET SATURDAY IN CHARLEROI

The Knights of Pythias Association of Washington county will hold its quarterly meeting at Coal Center Saturday evening, June 6. Monongahela Lodge, K. of P. will entertain the visitors. Uniform rank lodges of Washington, Canonsburg and Monessen followed by 300 other visiting knights, will parade. Afterwards an open meeting will be held at which M. F. Moore of Pittsburg will lecture on "Damon and Pythias." W. J. Reese of Canonsburg is president of the association, W. A. Proudfit of Washington, treasurer and Vernon Hazzard of Monongahela, secretary.

WILL COMBAT POTATO BUGS

Public Safety Committee From County Takes up Methods of Elimination

OTHER BUSINESS CONSIDENED

Holding that potato bugs are allies of the kaiser the county public safety committee of Washington county is considering means for putting them to rout. A meeting of the executive committee of the county organization held in Washington plans were suggested by County Agriculturalist J. M. McKee for combatting the blight.

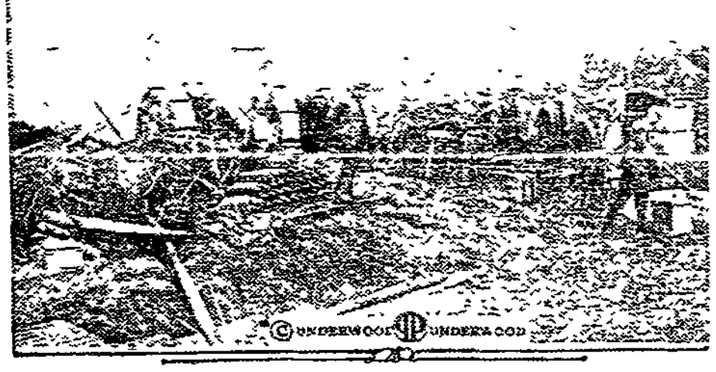
Mr. McKee suggested that the county buy and operate a public spraying apparatus for the benefit of the unusually large number of amateur and vacant lot gardeners.

In addition to considering methods of eliminating the potato bug, the executive committee decided to ask dentists of the county where necessary to make, free of charge, minor repairs to the teeth of applicants for enplistment, 40 per cent of whom are refused because of slight defects in their teeth.

TRUCK STRIKES CAR; CAR LEAVES TRACK

The heavy truck of Potter and McCune of Monessen was to much for a street car of the Westside line between Third and Fourth streets Wednesday afternoon, and when they collided sent the car spinning from the tracks. Neither the truck nor the car was damaged, though some delay was caused while the car was replaced on the tracks. The truck continued on its way.

British Batteries Behind Trenches Shield Advance of Troops in France



It is from behind the lines, sometimes half a mile to the rear of the first line trenches, that the great batteries of the British pour their showers of shrapnel and shells that shield the advancing soldiers as they venture to cross no-man's-land. These batteries in action shoot so rapidly that a "curtain of fire"—and death—completely hides the charging detachments. On the battle-front in northern France these artillery units have been almost constantly busy of late. This remarkable photograph, snapped behind the British lines during a respite in the fighting, shows the giant howitzers in position, ready for immediate action should the command come. Note the dugouts at the right and left of the gun. These are used to protect the ammunition and men during an action.

MANY COUPLE FROM ALL VALLEY ATTEND DANCE

Attended by more than 100 couple from points all along the Monongahela valley the first Commencement dance ever held by a Charleroi high school graduating class was held at Eldora Park Wednesday evening. It was the first private dance of the season at Eldora and was a brilliant social success. A committee of the class was in charge of the affair and the color scheme carried out was the class colors blue and gold. Hours were from 8:30 until 2 and special cars were operated from the park after the dance. Music was furnished by a visiting orchestra.

UNIONTOWN MAN KILLED ASLEEP IN WIFE'S ROOM

Victor Bossel, aged 32, was shot and killed while asleep in his wife's apartment in Buffington, near Uniontown Wednesday and his wife, Mrs. Frances Bossel, aged 34, was wounded probably fatally, in the abdomen. The police allege that Mrs. Bossel, who is in the Uniontown hospital, said she shot herself after firing a bullet into her husband's temple. The police say the couple had been separated three months and that Bossel returned to his wife Tuesday. Mrs. Bossel, according to the police, said that the shooting followed an argument over another woman in Pittsburg.

Tax Notice

State and County and Mercantile taxes for Fallowfield Township and the boroughs of Charleroi, North Charleroi, Speers, Twilight and Dunlevy are payable at the First National Bank, Charleroi, Pa. A discount of five per cent will be allowed on State and County taxes paid before August 1st. Mercantile tax must be paid on or before July 1. Attest First National Bank. 289-T.

CHILD IS HELD PRISONER—24 HOURS BY BARBED WIRE

With his clothing caught on a barbed wire fence on a farm within a quarter of a mile of his home, John Citner, two year-old son of George Citner a farmer of Brier Hill, was held a prisoner over 24 hours. The child was found unconscious at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and will probably recover. He wandered away from home Tuesday afternoon and members of the family searched all night.

HARRISON FUNERAL TO BE HELD FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The funeral of Mrs. Peter Harrison, who died at her home on Long alley Tuesday afternoon, will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. James' A. M. E. church, with services conducted by the pastor, Rev W. H. Frasier. Mrs. Harrison is survived by her husband, one son, her father and the following sisters and brothers: Mrs Flora Bessie Hackett, Washington; Mrs. Mary Ann Crable, Uniontown; Mrs. Ida C. Robinson, Brownsville; Mrs. Sarah Williams, Pittsburg; Carrie, Stella, Noah, Russell and George West all of Charleroi.

ACCUSE CHERRY VALLEY MINOR OF FLAG INSULT

On a charge of desertion of the United States flag, Frank Turka of Cherry Valley, a miner was held to court Wednesday by Justice of the Peace T. E. McLaughlin of Midway and committed to jail in default of $1,000 bail. The accusation was made by Joseph Neil. Turka, who is single, has been in the United States 13 years. He is from Austria. His remarks and action with respect to the flag were highly resented at Cherry Valley, a panhandle mining community.

LOCAL LIBERTY LOAN FUND RUNS IN TOTAL TO $225,000

About $20 Per Inhabitant Reported in Charleroi—Efforts Redoubled

COUNTY WORK IS CONTINUED

Supreme Effort Being Made to Bring Sum up to More Than Two Millions—Donora Subscribers Approximately $350,000

Charleroi thus far has subscribed approximately $225,000 for the Liberty Loan, this being a pro ratio share for every man, woman and child of about $20. However efforts are now being redoubled to increase the sum and it is probable that by tomorrow noon when the last of subscriptions will be received there will be a much greater sum to report.

Contrary to a statement that somehow or other managed to get into print, Washington county has not quite reached the mark set, according to explanations made this morning. The county has done nobly, having taken up over a million and a half dollars' worth of bonds, but more is expected of it.

The government asks that the county spend $2,478,000 for Liberty Loan bonds. Greene county was asked to subscribe for $284,000 in bonds, but so far has reported subscriptions of but $66,800.

Quick action reaching the total of fort will be continue and hamlet of the county Donora bankers report subscriptions there totaled approximately $350,000.

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CAST OFF CLOTHING WILL BE SENT TO THE NEEDY BELGIANS

The war relief committee of La Cercle Rochambeau has made arrangements whereby cast off clothing can be sent them or be transferred immediately to France. The committee says: "We hope to meet with a very large response. Everything will be acknowledged. There are poor in our midst and we must not turn a deaf ear to them, but upon our nation rests now a terrible responsibility. We must change our point of view. We cannot feel satisfied when we have each done something for the men and women and children who are already in the midst of this awful conflict. We must not be satisfied until our point of view is that of self-consecration. Garments must be sent before July 1." The address of the circle is 25 West Forty-fifth street, New York city. Mrs John R. MacArthur is president.

CLASS PLAY TO BE BIG FEATURE

"Strongheart" is to be Attempted by High School Graduates Tonight

CLASS SPEECHES TO BE MADE

The first event of commencement season proper will be the class night exercises tonight at the high school auditorium, when the play "Strongheart" will be produced and the various class speches made. The play will be produced under he joint direction of Miss Helen Irvine and Prof. I. T. Daniel. A cast of characters embracing many of the best known members of the graduating class has been selected.

Following will be the order of class speeches: History, Miss Helen Sharpneck; class prophecy, Miss Mabel Wilson; lantern speech, 1917, Chester Stahlman; lantern speech, 1918, Paul Manon; class artists, Miss Helen Fleming and Charles Pollock; class donors, Misses Marcella Collier and Freda Whitehead.

Practically seats have been taken for the exercises, which promises to be out of the ordinary. "Strongheart" is an American comedy drama in four acts by William C. deMille that has had long runs on the American stage. The story centers around a Columbia University Indian athlete. During a football game it is discovered that the opposing team had been sent Columbia's signals. Strongheart is blamed and ejected from the second half of the game. Columbia wins. The following day the signal trouble is taken up and it is discovered that Thorpe a member of the team, instead of Strongheart has been the betrayer. Consequently the Indian hero is more admired than ever. Throughout the play Strongheart evidences love for an estimable young woman. He finally wins her, then is called back to his people by the death of his father.

IMPRESSIVE EXERCISES FEATURE FLAG RAISING

Castle Shannon Scene of Patriotic Demonstration Wednesday Evening—Special Cars Run From Charleroi And Washington Divisions

Elaborate and impressive were the flag raising exercises of motormen and conductors of the Pittsburg Railways lines at Castle Shannon Wednesday evening. Nick Yost was chairman.

A parade preceded the flag raising. The Morganza band led the procession and in line came the Knights of St. George Cadets from Mount Oliver, the Spanish-American war veterans of Pittsburg, the Polish Falcons of Castle Shannon, St. Michaels's Cadets of Southside, Pittsburg, Civil war veterans of the Monongahela valley, Ladies of the G. A. R., street car motormen and conductors, Castle Shannon citizens and 20 automobiles.

The Stars and Stripes were hoisted by James "Dad" Forsythe, the silk flag being presented by Miss Hilda Speigle, as the Goddess of Liberty. Addresses were made by Attorney Griffith of Pittsburg and William D. Grimes. Band selctions were played and the Ladies of the G. A. R. sang. There were about 3,000 spectators. Five special cars were run from Division 6, which includes the Charleroi and Washington divisions.

Please do not throw away your old clothes. Give us a call. We pay good prices. H. Schaffer. Bell Phone 56-R, Fifth Street and Fallowfield, opposite Bank of Charleroi. 299-tf.

Last Day For Liberty Bonds

MAJESTIC THEATRE TODAY
REGINA BADET (The Vampire of France) in "ATONEMENT"
Tomorrow---THEDA BARA (America's Vampire) in "HEART AND SOUL"
A Super de Luxe production founded on Sir Rider Haggards "JESS"
Saturday---EARL WILLIAMS in "THE HAWK"

TODAY---COYLE THEATRE
Vivian Martin and Jack Pickford in a Paramount picture "THE GIRL AT HOME"
Both stars in their own right, offer a great treat to our patrons
TOMORROW
"HELL MORGAN'S GIRL"
Featuring Dorothy Phillips
COMING FRIDAY, JUNE 22
Douglas Fairbanks in a wonderful production
"OUT AGAIN IN AGAIN"
Children 10c Adults 15c

JUNE 18 TO JUNE 25 IS RED CROSS WEEK
Charleroi's Quota is 3,000 Members
Every family in Charleroi will be expected to take out at least one membership or more if they can afford it.
Everybody in Charleroi Will be Asked to Join
DON'T BE A SLACKER. Do YOUR BIT. JOIN THE RED CROSS

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HEALTH LAWS

Attention of the Charleroi Board of Health has been drawn lately to two cases of alleged violation of the quarantine laws. Both were diphtheria cases. Proper legal action has been taken.

Quarantine laws are difficult of enforcement, simply for the reason that people get to looking upon them as an infringement of their personal liberty. They are intended to be anything but that. Instead they are constituted for the protection of the personal liberty of all individuals.

It is hard for a man to consider seriously the comfort and welfare of the majority when he is penned up, a well being and one of all apparently least needing quarantining. Yet in his family may rage a virulent disease of easy contagion. If he mingles with the throngs he may spread the disease and cause others suffering. That is why the quarantine laws are made to apply so generally and widely.

If all of us were perfect we would not need quarantine laws or yellow signs to tack conspicuously on our doors. We would not be so unkind as to risk the health or life of the other person when we or a member of our family contracted a disease. But we are not perfect by a long shot, and since we are not, we must be subject to legal requirements. That these legal requirements are enforced to the letter is obligatory for upon enforcement depends the health of the community at large.

They buy a Liberty * * * * * *
only help in produ**IN PASSING** *
But they can r* * * * * * *
Red Cross, wh
thing, and ther had done something to
the wrath of his mother and
then had taken to his heels was hotly pursued for some distance by her.

Finding it was useless to continue the pursuit, and almost beside herself with rage, the old lady shouted at the top of her voice:

"I'll give anybody a dime to catch that boy."

The boy instantly stopped and, turning around shouted in reply:

"Give me the dime and I'll come back."

Alfred Lester the comedian, tells a good story about those much-maligned individuals, stage "supers."

At a rehearsal of a certain play the men who "walk on" for about half-a-crown a night had to go up to an altar and make genuflexions before it.

They did not seem to understand what they were required to do at all, and after being rehearsed five or six times the stage manager lost his temper and shouted:

"No, no, where are your genuflexions?"

The chief "super" scratched his head with a puzzled expresion on his face.

"Well, sir," he said apologetically, "I suppose we never got them from the property-master."

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Where?

"Where were the microbes,"
Asked old Mutts,
"When we put cobwebs
On our cuts?"
—Luke McLuke.

"There were the microbes,"
Asked old Puckers,
"When we used to swap
Our all-day suckers?"
—Birmingham Age-Herald

ANNIVERSA

Boy Scouts Guard Army and Navy Posters Against Vandals Defacement

Warning to Slackers to Keep "Hands Off" is Supplemented by Action—Offenders Will be Dealt With as Traitors

Those who deface signs and posters intended to call men of America to the colors will do so at their peril in the future, for the Boy Scouts are now on guard. In New York City vandals and slackers have been tearing down these Army and Navy posters. The matter was brought to the attention of the Boy Scout commanders and they at once took up the task of protecting them. A sign lettered in "horse" type announces that those who tamper with these posters will be dealt with as traitors. The boys are ready to carry out the order.

Hurrah for peace, but not the German brand.

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It is time to forget when someone tells you what the other person said about you.

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Two can live as cheaply as one on condition that each lives up to the others' ideals.

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Luke McLuke says the coalman and the ice man cannot laugh at once. Which suggests that Luke needs to to spend a short vacation in western Pennsylvania to learn a few things.

CHARLEROI DISTRICT MEN REGISTERED FOR SERVICE WITH NATION

Following is a partial list of names of men in the Charleroi district registered for draft with the United States.

CHARLEROI THIRD PRECINCT

Marshall H. Borne
Frank Erbe, Jr.
Lorne Roswald Philp
Reuben Everett Godwin
Edmund Frank Lhoest
Summer Emmett Bosworth
Chas Balun
Gaston John Lechien
Joseph Molinatto
Anthony Mancine
George Demarco
Leo Fisher
Leland Roscoe McKenna
Matero Passafium
John Walter Ailes
Innocent Pellocek
Martin A. Mouncheconrt
George William Brand
Harry J. Chester
Jules Govenor
John Guerem
Carl Emmer
Herbert William Taylor
Arthur Balun
Andrew J. Shebeck
Leon Devizne
Glenn Lapsley Flood
Joseph Lievre
Paul Horner Rylant
Howard Vernon Balmer
Frederick Anthony Volante
Adam M. Riley Byrne
Giuseppe Gimbrone
Stephen A Feelican
John Louis Alexander
Wm A Richard
Peter Henry Watkinson
Louis Tomayko
Oliver Nevins
Mickey Vegso
Peter Bayens
Matt Colasky
Joseph Sefier
Harry George Harrington
Ray Jacob Humbert
Eugene Gerard
Frank Joseph Koller
Joseph Henry Yeates
Robert Oliver Fitzgerald
Henry Theodore Harris
Nicholas Joseph Landrin
Martin Michael Dustine
James Roy Davis
Mike Vegso
Angelo Maciani
John Monict
John V. Voggetti
Louis Deleau
Emil Govenor
Simon Ray Grimm
Leo Gillett
Thomas Presco Carson
Roy Irwin Carson
Carl McGuire
John Paul Brown
Louis Jackman Mitchell
Michael Jacob Oravitz
Gilbert Abner Riggle
Paul Floyd Chalfant
Albert Adam
Joseph Veres
Conrad Rich
Joseph Ulens
Perry Leslie Britton
Tony Paula
John F. Henroten
Antony Hubert Millon
Stephen J. Urash
Chas Gerard
Oliver E. A Demarca
Alex Alexander
William Ray Houston
Salvadore Gamaitano
Anson Dale Crabb
Cas Vanduzen
Chas. Houston
Peter Yeager
Harold C Reitz
Cosemo Compellion
John Frabel
Harry R. Hixon
Lawrence Steck
Lawrence E Donnelly
Harry W. Dukstein
Andrew Rumpel.
Frederick Bertholdy
Chas. Tomayko
Joseph Giesk
Herman Behrendt
Glenn D Ramsey
Philip Floyd Clark
Mervin Spence
Gomer Franklin Malick
Hiram B. Hopkins
Emidio S. Sander
August Langer
Francis J. O'Rouke
Ralph C. Clutter
Saul Kamady
John M. Ramsay
Dominic Tuellio
Eugene Lessman
George Kochs
Carl C. Palmer
Emil Ferenc
Frank J Kornjeveit
John Thomas
John Frederick Carson
Andrew Sannier
John H Clutter
Ralph Clinton Atkinson
Mason Berton
Alfred Bisseaux
Oscar G. Kelley
Peter Vanderverren
John McFeeley
Robert Murray Hudspith
Anthony Deitz

STOCKDALE

Aiello Fred
Aiello Walter
Bono Joseph
Bonish Andy
Bryden Robert
Burton Ernest
Curiman John
Crouch Clarance
Costella Paul
Dunder, John
Duchoi Frank
Drodzi Mike
Ducton Charles
Deshields Walter
Ermlich, William F.
Ermlich Adolph
Federer, Joseph A.
Fabin Emory
Federer, Aurthur L.
Gollick, Howard
Gasper, John
Gollick, Jerry
Hough. Ray
Jenkins, Edward F.
Jenkins, Isaac
Kender, John
Kender, James
Logan, Howard
Leezer, John
Malcho, John
Mahe, Mike
McCloy, Ulysses G.
Pascoe Charles R.
Pipik, Mike
Pipik, Steve
Poscoe, Thomas
Rutherford, John
Rutherford Andrew
Smith, George
Kumat, Joseph
Simola, Charles
Squerak, Joseph
Spence, Edward E.
Schiach, Joseph A.
Spence Harry R.
Simpson, Mark C.
Ternerelli, Ferinodo
Tokur Mike
Timilin, Thomas W.
Underwood, Marlton
Underwood, Elgie
Underwood, Elmer

Failed to register at Stockdale:
Thomas Palmer, aged 23
Oris Julius, aged 23.

Joseph Underwood,
Mark C. Simpson,
Registrars.

GARDEN COLUMN

By National Emergency Food Garden Commission

The following "Who's Who Among Garden's Enemies" is prepared for the readers of the Mail by the National Emergency Food Garden Commission of Washington which is co-operating with this paper in a nation wide campaign for more food gardens and in a campaign to conserve the nation's food supply.

ANTHRACNOSE, "leaf spot" or "rust" attacking beans, tomatoes, celery and melons. Use Bordeaux mixture or summer-strength lime-sulphur or ammoniacal copper-carbonate to avoid stains on foliage of celery.

APHIS, or Plant Lice. Attacks peas, melons and so on. Use nicotine preparations or kerosene emulsion, at intervals of three or four days.

ASPARAGUS BEETLE Use arsenate of lead on summer foliage; cut and burn all vines in late summer.

BLIGHT, affecting cucumbers, potatoes and other things in various forms. Spray with Bordeaux frequently enough to keep all new growth covered. Dust with sulphur lead preparations.

CATERPILLARS. Various kinds attack cabbage, tomatoes, tobacco, and so on Use arsenate of lead paris green or hellebore; pick by hand.

CUTWORMS. Fat, ground worms, brown with dark stripes, cutting through the stems of many plants, especially when just up or newly set out Trap under pieces of shingle or flat stones; or scatter about toward nightfall a mash made of one quart of wheat bran, one teaspoonful of paris green or of white arsenate, one teaspoonful of cheap molasses, mixed with enough water to make a mash.

CUCUMBER BEETLE, yellow and black striped Use tobacco dust. Pick by hand the first bugs in early morning.

FLEA BEETLE. A scale-like insect with cottony-covering, attacking some flowers. It seldom appears in vegetable garden. Use kerosene emulsion or apply alcohol with a small brush.

POTATOE BEETLE. Use arsenate, of lead or paris green. On egg-plants use lead only, and pick by hand.

SQUASH BUG, lively, flat black. Use tobacco dust, or pick by hand to get rid of old bugs and eggs; use kerosene emulsion or nicotine sulphate for the young ones.

WHITE FLY Attacks tomatoes, some crops and some flowers. Use tobacco dust spray with kerosene emulsion.

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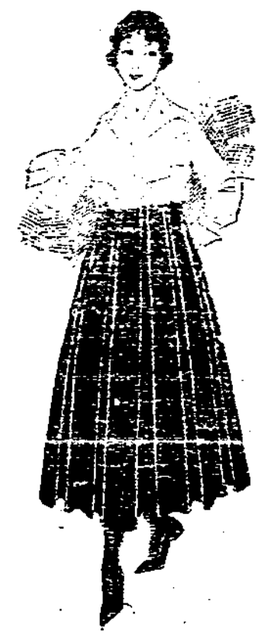
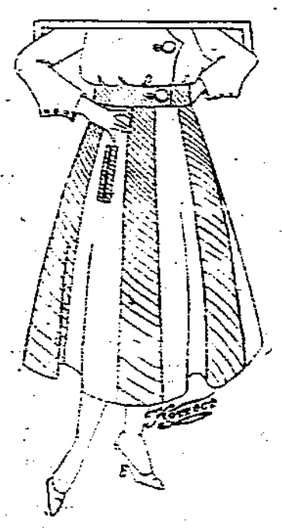
We also call attention to the large showing of Sport Coats to complete the "Combination Outfit." A great many styles are included in this showing of coats and most every woman will be able to secure a garment becoming to her personality and meeting her requirements of service.





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HALF PRICE SALE OF HATS

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There is a wide selection to choose from and considering that they were most reasonably priced in the past they are exceptional values at

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Charleroi's Live Store

PROPERTY DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD AT THE COUNTY SEAT

The following deeds have been filed to record in the recorder's office at Washington:

May 31, 1917—Elmer A. Hazlett, ex ux, Charleroi to Amanda Price, Charleroi, a lot fronting 47.5 feet on Sixth street, Charleroi; consideration $1.

June 2, 1917—John Fletcher, Sr., et ux, to William Fletcher, et ux, all of Charleroi a lot fronting 40 feet on Meadow avenue, Charleroi and extending back 55.5 feet consideration $1.200.

April 2, 1917—James F. Hill, et ux, Charleroi to Edward Doyle, Bellsville a tract of .25 acres in Bellsville, coal reserved; consideration $500.

March 27, 905—Hannah R. Cooper, Fallowfield township, to Olive Coal & Supply Co., Charleroi, a tract of 31 acres and 72 perches in Fallowfield township, coal reserved; consideration $13.586.40.

May 28, 1917—John C. Stewart, et ux. et al, Jefferson, to Erastus C. Robertson, et al, Charleroi, two lots fronting 44 feet on McKean avenue, Charleroi; consideration $1.

June 2, 1917—Sarah J. Osborne, et con, Charleroi, to James F. Might, et ux, Charleroi, a lot fronting 38.54 feet on Fifth street, Charleroi; consideration $2,050.

June 5, 1917—James W. Lafferty, executor to Agnes Hall, Charleroi, a lot fronting 30.17 feet on Fourth street, North Charleroi; consieration $2,501.

May 16, 1917—Hannah R. Cooper, Fallowfield township, to John Wise, Charleroi, a tract of 31 acres, 72 perches in Fallowfield township; consideration, $1.

June 7, 1917—Della P. Halstead, Charleroi, to Mamie Brown, Charleroi a lot fronting 22 feet on McKean avenue, Charleroi and extending back 100 feet; consideration, $232.32.

May 28, 1917—Charleroi Savings & Trust Co., guardian of John Leroy to Mamie Brown, all of Charleroi, a lot fronting 22 feet on McKean avenue, Charleroi and extending back 100 feet; consideration $867.68.

May 29, 1917—Sam A. Scribner, et ux, New York, to Mamie Brown, Charleroi, New York, to Mamie Brown, Charleroi, a lot fronting 22 feet on McKean avenue, Charleroi; consideration $1.

THREE CIGARETTE DEALERS FINED IN "ANTI" CRUSADE

In a crusade against cigarette dealers who sell to minors Frank Ferrere, John Botlion and Ben Botlion were arrested Mondoy by Officer H. B. Lake of California. They were given a warning and fined. Two boys under age, caught smoking cigarettes, when questioned gave the information which led to the arrest of the three sellers. Other dealers also are expected to be more careful.

ELKS TO HOLD FLAG EXERCISES TONIGHT

Regular flag day exercises will be held by Charleroi lodge, No. 494, B. P. O. Elks at Elks' home tonight. The regular ritual will be carried out, the observance to be for Elks only.

Singing Crickets.

In Japan if one will leave the hotel and the tourist office and the cocktail drinkers and go out into the real native quarter there are enough things to interest any one. One old man passes with his load of crickets, which sing in hot weather and are kept in cages like so many canaries. These gentle creatures make a noise like a squeaky axle, and one hidden under the hood of a twelve cylinder car would subject the most careful chauffeur to scorn. They are caught with birdlime and make nice little pets, cheap to buy and not requiring gasoline for the upkeep.

Always a Way.

"I am beginning to fear," said the Rev. Mr. Goodman, "that I may be injecting too much humor into my sermons. The congregation may fall into the habit of neglecting to take me seriously."

"Oh, don't worry about that, dear," his wife replied. "Whenever you begin to notice that they are not taking you seriously just ask them to raise your salary."—Chicago Herald.

Eager Inquirers.

"Don't you think conundrums are rather silly?"

"No. We consider them very useful when they keep the children asking one another questions instead of sending their parents to the encyclopedia."

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United States marines are always to be found where trouble breaks out if the scene is in reach of transports or warships. They are chartered on every first class ship of the navy, ready to go ashore as infantry, as heavy or light artillery or in machine gun squads.

There is not and never was a better body of fighting men ashore or afloat than the American marines. Their tradition of efficiency and fearlessness is one of the finest. Usually they go against the enemy when heavily outnumbered and often are required to hold their own in the midst of hostile populations until bluejackets and the army can be sent to back them up. It is only natural that the most adventurous spirits from every quarter of the world, soldiers of fortune who want to be always in a good fight, should have been attracted to a force which offers so many opportunities of the kind.

No company, no squad, of United States marines has ever shown the white feather. They are of the cream of military nobility. On their caps they wear a little metal globe and the words "Semper Fidelis"—they go wherever the flag is carried, where trouble is thickest, and they are the ever faithful legion which never fails us.—Providence Journal.

COAXING THE SALMON.

Try Trout Fishing Tactics When You Go After This Game Fish.

When you are going to make a try for salmon remember your trout fishing. Keep low in the grass and bushes, cast delicately over the entire pool, beginning at the tail, where the fish are most apt to be in ordinary weather, and, working up to the very head, where they are often found after a rise of water, propel the fly with the variety of motion known to every trout fisher, and particularly try it at various depths.

I have often found that the only way to start a salmon was to sink the fly at least two feet and rely upon a tiny spasmodic twitch now and then (as of a drowning insect) to do the trick. This is often effective after a fish has come up once and refuses to repeat the experiment.

When a rise comes it will probably be a slow one. Do not move the fly at all after the first sign. Strike lightly, but firmly, on the first impact if the line is short, and when you have counted two or three after the rise if the line is long. Advice not to strike, if applicable at all, pertains only to swift water when fishing downstream. Under any other conditions failure to strike is often suicidal.—Outing.

What You Eat In Apples.

Do you know what you are eating when you eat an apple? You are eating malic acid, the property that makes buttermilk so healthful. You are eating gallic acid, one of the most necessary elements in human economy. You are eating sugar in the most assimilable form, combined carbon, hydrogen and oxygen caught and imprisoned from the sunshine. You are eating albumen in its most available state. You are eating a gum allied to the "fragrant medicinal gums of Araby." You are eating phosphorus in the only form in which it is available as a source of all brain and nerve energy. In addition to all these, you are drinking the purest water and eating the most healthful and desirable fiber for the required "roughness" in food elements.

Johnson and Seven.

President Johnson had seven letters in his name. When he was fourteen, twice seven, he became a tailor's apprentice, which he remained for seven years. When he was twenty-one, three times seven, he gave up tailoring. When he was twenty-eight, four times seven, he became an alderman. At thirty-five, five times seven, he entered the legislature. In 1842, six times seven, he was a member of congress. At forty-nine, seven times seven, he was a senator. On the 7th of March, 1862, he was military governor of Tennessee. At fifty-six, eight times seven, he became vice president.

Russia's Resources.

Russia is a country of vast resources, many of them undeveloped. They raise great quantities of wheat, rye and oats, and hemp and flax are extensively cultivated. They raise a great amount of live stock, while the Obdorski and Ural mountains contain very great mineral riches, and Russia is now the largest producer of petroleum in the world. There is an inexhaustible amount of coal in Russia.

The Purist.

The Manager (at amateur rehearsal, to the leading lady)—'Ere, Miss Mortimer, you mustn't talk like that to the duke. You mustn't say, 'Wot are you a-doin'?' You've got to speak king's English. You must say, 'Wot are you a-doin' of?'"—London Sketch.

Bunker Hill Monument.

Bunker Hill monument is 221 feet 2 inches high, 30 feet square at the base and 15 feet 4 inches square where the pyramidal apex begins; 8,700 tons of granite were used in building it.

Epitaphy.

Epitaph for a miserly man: "His head gave way, but his hand never did. His brain softened, but his heart couldn't."

At the Department Store.

The Shopper—I'd like to look at some puffs. The Usher—Powder, hair cream?—Boston Globe.

Among the world's greatest misfits are the big opinions of a small man.—Philadelphia Record.

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"Dry Goods" supplies a trade review, items of general interest by special correspondence and service, market conditions and manufacturing notes.

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WANTED—Dressmaking or plain sewing. Mrs. Woolslane, Maple avenue, care John McClintock. 304-t6p

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 230 Washington avenue. 301-tf

WANTED—Men for operating electric sub-stations. Must be 21 years of age. Good wakes and steady employment. Apply to Robert Fram, West Penn Power company, Charleroi, Pa. 304-t3

WANTED—At once, a seamstress. Apply Waynes Quality Store, 433 McKean avenue. 305-t2

FOR SALE—Seven room house with bath. Inquire 203 Prospect avenue. 295-tf

For Sale—Upright piano. Cheap for cash. Inquire 948 Mail. 305-tf.

FOR SALE—Five room house on Meadow avenue. Gas and water. Inquire 947 Mail office. 304-t5-p

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 835 Fallowfield avenue. 300-tfp

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. At Lock No. 4. Call local phone 156-X. 305-t2

FOR RENT—On account of death, good business corner with living rooms, located at Ninth street and Fallowfield avenue. Now occupied as a grocery store by Mrs. Anna Linn. Inquire E. J. Charles, Charleroi Savings and Trust company. 301tf

FOR RENT—Furnished house for summer months. Rent reasonable to suitable family. Inquire 949 Mail office. 306-t3

Lost

LOST—Broach on Fourth or Fifth streets or near Berryman's Store. Finder liberally rewarded if returned to Berryman's store. 304-t3p

LOST—Pocketbook containing a $10 and a $5 bill and some change, at the Coyle theatre, Berryman's or Fau's store. Finder return to Miss Helen Sellars, McCrory's store. 305-t1

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PERSONALS

Mr and Mrs. Howard Hiller, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Anthony and Mrs. Sahner motored to Niles, Ohio, where they visited with Mrs. Sahner's two sons, John and Victor.

Misses Jessie and Mary Dreadon of Carmichel visited at the home of their cousin Mrs. Evan C. Kelley of McKean avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin G. Todd and children of Fallowfield avenue went to Pittsburg Thursday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Lee Showers and Mrs. W. C. Clark were Pittsburg visitors Thursday.

Mrs. J. K. Mitchell and daughter Margaret, Mrs. Charles McMasters and her guest Miss Blanche Smith of Smithton were in Pittsburg Wednesday to attend the commencement exercises of the University of Pittsburg. Jacob Mitchell of Charleroi was graduated in the school of medicine.

Rev. E. N. Duty was in Clairton Thursday transacting church business.

Earl E. Piper was a Pittsburg business caller Thursday.

Mrs. Brent Hockman and son Earl have returned from a three weeks' visit with relatives at Washington, D. C.

PRODUCTS CLUB SIGNS STAR BASEBALL MEN

Harrell, Johnson and James to Join Squad Probably For Duty Saturday —James May be Called Soon Into Service For Uncle Sam

Three new men of considerable experience in the baseball world will report soon to Manager Regester of the Pittsburg Steel Products baseball club and may be in the game Saturday here with the Charleroi Babes. Danny Harrell, the former Charleroi infielder, is one and he probably will be seen at the third corner. Johnson, a teammate of Harrell's on the New Kensington Aluminum team will be in the outfield.

Herb James, an Aluminum product, last year with the New York State league has signed for the time that he has available and will report. James has enlisted for service with Uncle Sam, but has not yet been called to duty. Cosack, a promising pitcher of Uniontown is another who has been added o the ranks and may pitch tomorrow. Dishner and Rapp will either be available for mound duty if Cozack today overworks at Vesta No. 5 at Fredericktown, where the Products are playing.

Mrs. W. J. Corbe of East Palestine, Ohio, Mrs. L. G. Hegner of Beaver Falls, Mrs. John Maroney of New Brighton, Mrs. Thomas Cavanaugh and daughter Matilda of Steubenville and Harold McDermott of Pittsburg have all returned home after attending the wedding here his week of Miss Irene McBrideand John Conway.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carson visited at Monongahela Tuesday.

C. R. Newcomer was a business caller at the property of the Fifth Pool Coal and Coke company, near Denbo Thursday.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Charles, former pastor of the French Presbyterian church left Wednesday for Pittsburg. After a few days visit with relatives there they will leave for the Pacific coast where they will make their home.

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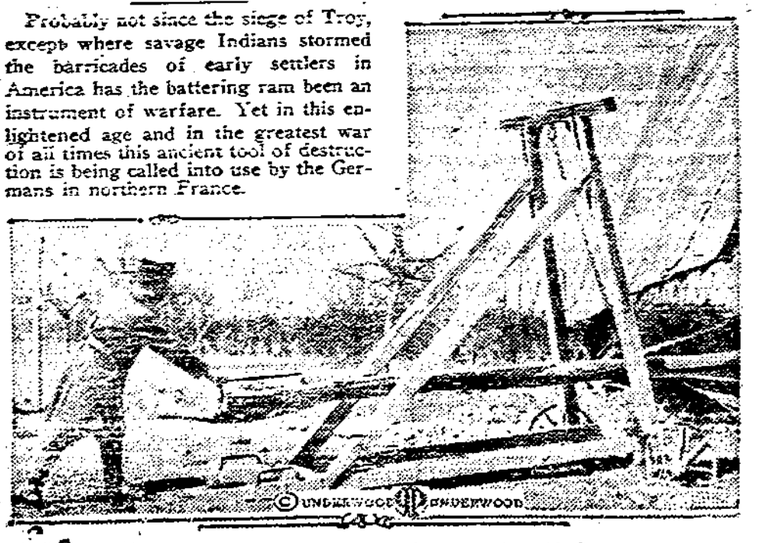
Ancient Battering-Ram a German Weapon of Destruction in France

Probably not since the siege of Troy, except where savage Indians stormed the barricades of early settlers in America has the battering ram been an instrument of warfare. Yet in this enlightened age and in the greatest war of all times this ancient tool of destruction is being called into use by the Germans in northern France.



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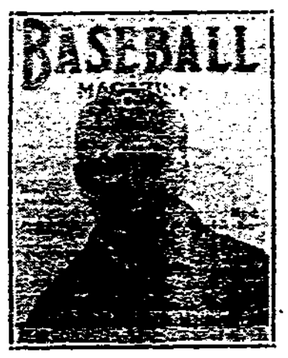

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THE RECOGNIZED STANDARD-AVOID SUBSTITUTES

Notice to Steam Heating Contractors

Sealed proposals for installing a steam heating system in school building No. 2, corner of McKean avenue and Ninth street, will be received by the Board of School Directors of Charleroi, Pa. until 8 o'clock, Tuesday evening, June 19, 1917.

Plans and specifications can be had by applying to the secretary of the Board of Directors.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

Dr. Thomas M. Faddis, Secretary.
521 Washington Avenue.
June 1-4-6-12-14

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A Series of Comparisons That Is a Study in Economy.

I have recently made an exhaustive investigation of the comparative food value of the products of white corn and the results show these products to be so much more economical than many of the foods commonly used that I believe it would interest your readers to see the comparison.

The food value of one pound of cornmeal, grits or hominy, costing 3 cents, is equal to the food value of any of the following commonly used foods:

1 pound of wheat flour, costing... 5 cents
1 pound of rice, costing... 5 cents
1½ pounds of cheese, costing... 60 cents
2½ pounds of round steak, costing 50 cents
2 dozen eggs, costing... 90 cents
½ peck of potatoes, costing... 45 cents
6 pints of milk, costing... 20 cents

National prosperity has made us prodigal of our resources and wasteful of our substance, particularly in the matter of food, for which we have been paying more than is commensurate with food values, and I believe it behooves Americans today to consider the real nutritive value of the food which they purchase and to know the merits of white corn products, which I believe to be the cheapest nourishing food which the housewife can buy on the market today.

The south knows and appreciates the value of white corn for table use. Why not the north, east and west?—A. W. Smith in New York Post.

LISPING AND STUTTERING.

Children Should Be Taught How to Use Their Speech Organs.

Lisping may be caused by a lack of practice in the organs of speech. Stutterers are recruited largely from the ranks of the lispers. Children imitate the slovenly and disagreeable language of their elders.

Among the causes of lisping, in addition to the wrong use of speech organs, are abnormal teeth, lips, tongue jaw or palate. Some cases are apparently due to carelessness or haste in reproducing speech sounds.

Lisping is not to be considered abnormal unless it noticeably persists beyond the age of five or six years. Usually the tendency to slur over words disappears rapidly in the upper grades of school. Fully one-fourth of the children entering school suffer from this speech defect.

Many educators argue that the first months of school should be given over to exercises in oral language intended to form correct habits of speech. They claim that the anxious haste of the primary teacher to teach children to read is unjustified and maintain that if one-half of the time used for phonic drills were devoted to voice cultivation many cases of stuttering would be prevented.—Pittsburgh Press.

Golden Pots and Pans.

Should the shah of Persia desire to pledge his kitchen requisites he might realize £500,000. Every saucepan of this monarch is gilded inside, and the dishes which appear on the table are of solid gold, as well as the spoons, knives and forks. The handles of the latter, moreover, are ornamented with costly stones, and some are worth as much as £100 each.

In preparing lunch for the shah none but silver spoons can be used, and any covering used for keeping cold meats must also be of silver.

His majesty has a staff of over thirty chefs, and altogether those employed in his kitchen number nearly 120. Their wages amount to £500 a week.—London Globe.

Protects the Deer.

A kindly act on the part of a railway was the order of the Southern Pacific to its enginemen that when a deer is seen on the track at night the headlight shall be extinguished for a moment. More than a dozen deer were killed by trains in California in January. It has been discovered that when the headlight is extinguished, if only for a second, the animals are able to jump to safety. Otherwise the glare of the headlight dazes them so that they are run down before they can escape.—Outlook.

Two Cousins; Two Thrones.

"Nicholas Romanoff" of Russia and King George of England are cousins, look much alike and are probably not greatly different in intellectual ability. One is off the throne and the other is on because one throne was an anomalous survival of medievalism, while the other is an adaptation to modern democratic progress.—Springfield Republican.

High Tips.

"Did you ever serve any ostrich?" asked one waiter of another.

"No, I did not," was the reply, "but I'd like to."

"Why?"

"Because I hear the ostrich tips come high."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Too Reverential.

"Why don't you ever laugh at my jokes?"

"Because I was brought up to respect old age and feebleness."—Baltimore American.

Oleomargarine.

Oleomargarine is the result of competition for a prize offered by Napoleon for a substitute for butter at a lower price without loss of wholesomeness or flavor.

Politeness in Tibet.

A sign of politeness in Tibet on meeting a person is to hold up the clasped hands and stick out the tongue.

Dare to be true. Nothing can need a lie.—George Herbert.

NORTH CHARLEROI

Wilbur Wood of Ravenswood, W. Va., visited his sister, Mrs. Richard Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Franks and children and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pibble were visitors in Uniontown.

Howard Planton who is employed in Pittsburg spent the first of the week with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McClain and sons, Earl and Robert of Beaver Falls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sigler.

Miss Annetta Metz is visiting in Pittsburg.

The Worth While club met and was entertained at the home of Mrs. Nick Farley Tuesday evening.

James Franks of Uniontown visited his nephew, P. E. Franks.

Mrs. Leona Roberts of Belle Vernon visited her grandmother, Mrs. Frank Campbell.

George Kline of Braddock spent Sunday at his home here.

Harry Carnes of Clarksburg, W. Va., visited his aunt, Mrs. Frank Campbell.

Mrs. Clyde Hyett and children are visiting relatives at Ohio Pyle.

Miss Mabel Woods of Donora visited her aunt, Mrs. W. F. Planton.

Miss Besse Johnson visited at the home of Mrs. John Hartzell of Arnold.

Word was received here of the death of Miss Alice Milsom formerly of North Charleroi. She left here three years ago for Polk, Pa., where she was employed as nurse in the state institution of that place. She was taken seriously ill about six months ago with neutritis and failed to recover. She is survived by three sisters and three brothers, her father and mother both being dead. Interment was at Butler.

Mrs. Earl Woods and children of Uniontown are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rockwell.

Mrs. Elizabeth Post is confined to her home.

FOR SALE

1 lot McKean Avenue	$1,150.00
1 lot Fallowfield Avenue	$2,000.00
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Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be received by the Board of School Directors of the School District of Union Township, Washington Co., Pa., for the construction of a one-story frame school building of three or four rooms, to be erected on a plot of ground situate in the village of Courtney, Union Township, County and State aforesaid.

Bids or estimates should be enclosed in sealed envelopes, endorsed "Bids for construction of school building for School District of Union Township," and should be delivered to W. A. Kennedy, President of the School Board, at Courtney, Washington Co., Pa., not later than one o'clock P. M. on Monday, June 18, 1917. Enclosed with each bid must be a certified check of the bidder, payable to the order of School Board of Union Township, amounting to 10 per cent of the amount of bid. The contractor to whom the contract is awarded will furnish, free of expense, to the School Board, a surety bond from a trust company or surety company acceptable to said School Board, amounting to the full amount of the contract awarded. Plans and specifications can be secured from W. A. Kennedy, President of the School Board. Courtney, Washington Co., Pa., which plans and specifications will be issued to the contractors up to and including the 15 day of June, 1917, and all contractors must provide their own sub-bids from all sub-contractors. Plans and specifications must be returned with the bid.

The right is reserved by the School Board to reject any or all bids submitted, should they deem it to the best interests of the School District of Union Township so to do.

By order of the Board of School Directors of Union Township, Washington Co., Pa.

W. A. Kennedy,
President.

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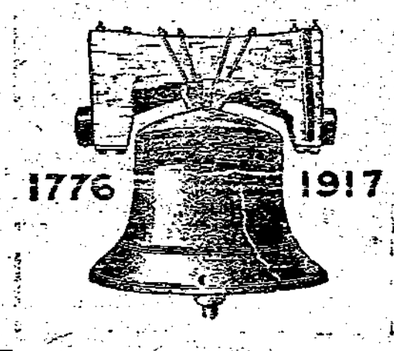

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